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CITY COUNCIL MEETING STAFF REPORT

Date: January 12, 2010
Agenda Item:

Subject: Greening Main Street

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Recommendation: Council adopt the attached resolution supporting Wheatland's participation in the "Greening Main Street" pilot program grant application.

Discussion: Yuba County, Marysville and Yuba City have all joined together with Strategic Energy Innovations to submit a grant application to PG&E to obtain funding for a commercial sector green business certification and efficiency initiative that could benefit local businesses. Wheatland has the opportunity to participate in this application process as well. Adoption of the attached resolution will make that possible.

Staff learned of this opportunity on December 10th which was after the last Council meeting (see attached email string from Robert Bendorf). Since their application deadline was December 14th, the City Manager submitted the attached letter to allow our name to be included in the application. Adoption of the attached resolution is required to confirm that request.

Alternatives: The Council could choose to not participate in the application process and table the resolution.

Fiscal Impact: None.